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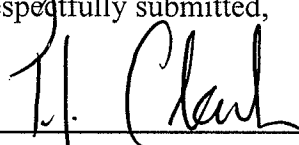
REMARKS

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the telephone interview of March 6, 2008. During the interview, the Examiner indicated that claim 1 would potentially be allowable if it included some of the limitations of claim 6. Accordingly, Applicant has endeavored to include the appropriate limitations into independent claims 1, 14 and 22.

Based on the foregoing, Applicants respectfully submit that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. If there are any questions regarding these amendments and remarks, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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